Year 4				
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Autumn 1	Driver Text: Escape from Pompeii by Christina Balit			
	Fiction	Non Fiction	Poetry	
ESCAPE FROM POM PEIL	Writing Focus Diary entry- describing the escape from Pompeii. *Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity- Page 54-Can we talk about how others are feeling?*	Writing Focus Newspaper report- reporting the tragedy of Pompeii. *Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity- Page 38-How can we talk about speed?*	Writing Focus Pompeii- Unknown To write a three-stanza poem about the rumbling, eruption and aftermath. *Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity-Page 48- Can we find out where words originate from?*	
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Autumn 2

Driver Text: The Firework Maker's Daughter by Philip Pullman

Fiction	Non Fiction	Poetry
Writing Focus	Writing Focus	Writing Focus
Narrative- short story with a dilemma about a	Explanation – How do Things happen e.g.	On Bonfire Night- Holly James
journey.	How do earthquakes happen? How is	
	igneous rock formed?	To use onomatopoeic words within a
*Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity- Page 40-		repetitive poem.
Can we examine words and phrases in	*Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity- Page 42-	
fiction?*	Can we use prefixes to change meaning- 'il,	*Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity-
	'im, and 'in'?*	Page 44- Can we analyse how the
		poet uses vocabulary?*

Vocabulary, grammar and punctuation for Year 4

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Text

Use of paragraphs to organise ideas around a theme

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Punctuation

Fiction

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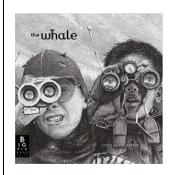
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Spring 1

Driver Text: The Whale by Vita Murrow



Writing Focus	Writing Focus	Writing Focus
Narrative- creating a setting using descriptive	Information text- Whales, conservation and	Haiku poetry
language and imagery. Children to tell the	hunting	The Last Whale- Ron Wilson
story by using rich language to describe		
settings and events within the images.		*Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity
		Page 52- Can we make words ar
Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity- Page 56-		idioms?
Can we describe an intelligent predator?*		

Poetry

Non-Fiction

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	Driver Text: Thor and Loki in the Land of the Giants: A Norse Myth			
	Fiction		Non-Fiction	Poetry

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Spring 2	Writing Focus Create a story in the style of a myth using the creatures from Norse myths and legends.	Writing Focus Instructions- How to look after a mythical creature e.g. a troll, a dragon *Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity- Page 60-Can we explore the origin of words?*	Writing Focus The Godless- Unknown Children to tell the tale of Thor and Loki in the style of a free verse poem.
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Summer 1



Driver Text: The Journey - Francesca Sanna

Fiction	Non- Fiction	Poetry
Writing Focus	Writing Focus	Writing Focus
To write a narrative about a refugee	Letter writing- writing formal letters of complaint	Veruca Salt Poem
	·	To form a poem about the descent of Veruca Salt going down the shoot.
		Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity- Page 66- Can we explore synonyms poetry?

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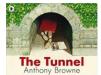
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Summer 2

Voices IN THE PARK



Driver Text: Voices I the Park by Anthony Browne, The Tunnel by Anthony Browne

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Fiction	Non-Fiction	Poetry
Writing Focus	Writing Focus	Writing Focus
Share the story without the words. Discuss	Persuasive writing- creating a leaflet to	Nightmare- Michael Rosen
what the chn think is happening and make	advertise a local event.	
predictions.		Children to write a short poem, similar
Compare texts linking common themes.	*Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity- Page 46-	to 'Nightmare' about something they
Character Study looking at the different	Can we learn new words from non-fiction	are afraid of- using repeated phrases.
characters in each story.	writing?*	Eg. l'ml'm
Describe one in detail.		There'sThere's
*Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity- Page 50-		
Can we describe a forest?*		*Rising Stars Vocabulary Activity-
		Page 68- Can we create words and
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Pronoun, possessive pronoun				
	adverbial			
advorbial				